TUMKUR DISTRICT.

Sale Notification dated 3rd March 1939.

It is hereby notified for the information of the public that the right to cut and remove 80 Thoramatti trees fit for timber, firewood and charcoal, standing on the newly cleared demarcation line of Ullalebetta State Forest will be sold by public auction by the District Forest Officer or the Range Forest Officer deputed by him on 13th April 1939 at the Range Forest Office, Huliyurdurga subject to the conditions mentioned below :—

The sale will commence at 2 P.M. and will be subject to the confirmation of the District Forest Officer or the Chief Conservator of Forests as the case may be.

N.B.—It should be clearly noted that the contractor should make his own arrangements for the removal of timber from the Forest demarcation line and that the Forest Department will not undertake any responsibility in the matter of opening roads, etc.

2. Each bidder shall, before being permitted to bid, deposit Rs. 20 (twenty) only as earnest money with the officer conducting the sale. The deposit will be returnable to him at the close of the sale, if his bid is not accepted. The person whose bid is accepted shall immediately after the close of the sale pay full sale amount less the deposit already paid, failing which the right will be resold or worked out by the Department at the risk of the defaulting bidder. He will be liable for the loss if any that may result by such resale or departmental working, which will be recoverable from him as arrears of land revenue, but he shall not participate in any gain.

3. Defaulters to the Department will not be allowed to bid at the sale.

4. The standing trees will be sold in groups of 10 each or whole lot. The bidder shall bid at so much per tree.

5. Power is reserved to the District Forest Officer or such other officer conducting the sale as may be deputed by the District Forest Officer to accept or reject any bid without assigning any reason therefor.

6. Within a week from the date of intimation regarding confirmation of sale, the person whose bid is accepted, execute an agreement on a stamped paper of proper value accepting the above terms and the terms specified below, failing which the amount already paid will be forfeited to Government and the produce resold or worked by the Department at his risk as noted in clause 2 *supra*.

The following are the further conditions to which the contractor should bind himself :—

(*a*) That he shall fell, prepare and remove the timber, fuel or charcoal purchased by him before the 30th June 1939.

(*b*) That no timber prepared out of any tree shall be removed unless it is measured and stamped at the stump by the Range Officer or such other officer as the District Forest Officer may authorise.

(*c*) That each consignment of timber or fuel or charcoal shall be covered by a passport issued by the Range Officer or any other officer deputed by the District Forest Officer in this behalf.

(*d*) That he shall abide by the rules of the Department as regards the kindling of fires and shall hold himself responsible for any forest offences committed by his agents, employees or workmen.

(*e*) That if any tree which is outside the demarcation line is felled, he shall pay a fine not exceeding Rs. 15 for each such tree.

(*f*) That no operations shall take place in the forest after sunset or before sunrise.

(*g*) That he shall not sublet the contract to anybody except with the written sanction of the District Forest Officer.

(*h*) That he shall have no right whatsoever over the timber, fuel or charcoal paid for but left unremoved after the end of June 1939.

(*i*) That he shall abide by the rules of the Department as regards the kindling of fires and shall hold himself responsible for any forest offence committed by his agents, employees or workmen.

(*j*) That he shall not sublet the contract to anybody except with the written permission of the District Forest Officer.

(*k*) That he shall maintain a register in the form prescribed by the District Forest Officer, showing the number of trees felled and out-turn of timber, fuel and charcoal resulting therefrom and shall keep it open for examination of Forest Officers above the grade of Guards.

(*l*) That for any breach of any of the conditions of the contract by the contractor or his agents the contract shall be void at the option of the District Forest Officer and that the latter may after issuing to the contractor a notice of cancellation of contract enforce forfeiture of all or any part of the amount already paid, resell the right or work it departmentally.

Abstract Notification dated 10th March 1939.

The attention of the public is invited to the resale notification dated 10th March 1939 of the right of collecting Tangadi and Kakke barks for 1937-39 published on page 546, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 23rd March 1939.

Resale Notification dated 21st March 1939.

It is hereby notified for the information of the public that the right of collecting and removal of Tupra leaves in the State Forests, Reserved Lands, Plantations, Amrith Mahal Kavals and other lands at the disposal of Government in the following Taluks on the dates and at the places noted against each, from the date of confirmation of the sale up to end of June 1940, will be resold in public auction by the District Forest Officer, Tumkur District, at the risk of the original purchasers as they have failed to pay the 2nd khist due on 1st July 1938 and to execute the bond.

Taluk	Place of sale	Date and hour of sale
1. Tumkur Taluk ..	District Forest Office, Tumkur ..	11th April 1939, at 2 P.M.
2. Kunigal Taluk ...	Do do ..	Do do
3. Pavagada Taluk ..	Do do ..	Do do

N.B.—For conditions of sale and other particulars, please see Kannada Notification, dated 2nd June 1937, published in the *Mysore Gazette*, Part VI, Pages 89-90, dated 17th June 1937.

P. A. MOHAN RAM,
District Forest Officer.

MYSORE DISTRICT.

Notification dated the 13th March 1939.

Notice is hereby given under Section 40 (1) of the Mysore Forest Act of 1900 that the following timber found lying unclaimed in the places noted against it is kept in the custody of the Patel, Muthur Village, Kasaba Hobli, Periyapatna Sub-Taluk. Persons having any claim to the above timber may present a written statement of their claims to the District Forest Officer, Mysore District, Mysore, within one month from the date of publication of this notification in the *Mysore Gazette*, failing which the ownership of the timber shall vest in Government free from all encumbrances under Section 42 of the Mysore Forest Act of 1900.

Name of Village	Place at which the timber was found	Kind of timber	With whom the timber is now kept.
Muthur	Near the Saw Pit in the field of Pujari Nanjappa, situated in Muthur Village.	Honne, 11'-0"×6'-6" =29 C.ft.	Patel Mr. Thimme Gowda of Muthur.

Resale Notification dated the 20th March 1939.

It is hereby notified that the exclusive right of collecting the Minor Forest Produce on all Government unoccupied lands, Amrit Mahal Kavals, State Forests, Reserved lands and Plantations from the date of confirmation to the 30th June 1940 in the following units will be resold at 2 P.M. on the 13th April 1939 by public auction at the risk of the original purchasers who have failed to pay the 1st khist amount, in the District Forest Office, Mysore District, Mysore, by the District Forest Officer, Mysore District, Mysore.

Names of Taluks.

1. Heggaddevankote.
2. Hunsur.
3. Krishnarajnagar.
4. Periyapatna Sub-Taluk.
5. Chamarajnagar.
6. Gundlupet.
7. Nanjangud.
8. Nagamangala.
9. Krishnarajpet.
10. Seringapatam.
11. French-Rocks.

For other conditions of the sale, please see detailed notification No. D1-88-866—37-38, dated 21st April 1938, published on pages 661 to 664, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 28th April 1938.

Notification dated 23rd March 1939.

It is hereby notified for general information that a quantity of about 500 maunds of Gallnut collected by the Forest Department in Gundlupet Range and stored in Gundlupet Forest Range Office will be sold by public auction in Gundlupet Forest Range Office at 2 P.M. on 15th April 1939 by the District Forest